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## House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens or distinguished themselves through significant personal achievement; and

Whereas, the members now pause to recognize Betty Harbin, of St. Louis, Missouri, who will be recognized as a nonagenarian member of the Women's Missionary Society during the Annual Conference of the Southeast Missouri, Illinois, and Wisconsin Region of the Third Episcopal District Christian Methodist Episcopal Church to be held in early August of this year in St. Louis; and

**Whereas**, the Women's Missionary Society and Missionary Region President Christine S. Buchanan are saluting all the pioneering members of the Christian Methodist Episcopal Church who have been blessed to live ninety years or more to show God's strength to all the generations that have followed them and in recognition of the Society's 90<sup>th</sup> anniversary; and

**Whereas**, born December 22, 1912, Betty Harbin is a loyal and faithful member of the Lane Tabernacle CME Church in St. Louis, with the Rev. Dr. James T. Morris, Pastor; and

Whereas, Betty Harbin is the proud mother of Winnie Cockrell:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our most sincere congratulations to Betty Harbin on the illustrious occasion of being recognized as a nonagenarian member of the Women's Missionary Society, with our most sincere wishes for continued happiness and success; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Betty Harbin and the Women's Missionary Society.

Offered by
Representative Juanita Head Walton
District No. 81
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No, adopted, 2008.
Rod Jetton, Speaker